

### Prohibition Lightning.

Biblical Recorder.

Are we soon to have a saloon-less nation? Many devout people believe that within a decade the liquor traffic will be legally banished from the soil of our fair land. That many of the signs of the times point back to this desirable consummation is unmistakably manifest to every discerning individual. For example in a recent address at Chattanooga, N. Y., Miss Anna A. Gordon, Vice-President of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union, expressed the opinion that the prospect is good because in recent years John Barleycorn has been several times struck by national prohibition lightning. Among other things, she said: "The abolishment of the sale of liquor in the restaurants of our national capital building, in the soldiers' homes, and in the army canteen; the so-called 'white-ribbon regime' at the White House; the passage of the Webb-Kenyon bill for the protection of prohibition territory; the fearless action of Secretary Daniels in banishing strong drink from the navy; the order of Secretary of War Garrison closing thirty-five saloons on the United States side of the Panama Canal zone—all these electric bolts must have somewhat prepared John Barleycorn for the fearful storm soon to break, when national prohibition lightning will strike down every distillery, every brewery, and every dramshop in our great nation."

### When Times Were Hard.

Mauroe Journal.

"It is true," said Mr. S. S. Richardson, "that we had 5 cent cotton a few years ago, but a pound of cotton would then buy a pound of meat, and everything else was cheap in proportion. But now a pound of cotton will not buy much of anything, in fact it would take two pounds to buy one pound of meat. But the hardest times we have ever seen was during the war. I was eight years old when the war broke out, and for four years we did without things in such a way that would be a lesson in these times of extravagance. We made our own hats, clothes shoes and everything else we had. In fact we had to make the lasts on which the shoes were made. We tanned hides in troughs made from large pine trees, and we even made buttons out of the leather. My father went to Virginia with a four horse wagon to get salt for the neighborhood, and as for sugar and coffee, we simply did without. But we did have plenty to eat. In this section we made all the food crops that we needed."

He who receives a kindness should never forget it; he who does one should never remember it.—Charron.

Ever was probably the only woman in the world who never gave her neighbors any cause for gossip.

Naturally the two-faced person is more cheery than the ordinary mortal.

Even in resisting temptation many a fellow is inclined to follow the line of least resistance.

Many a man who belongs to the church thinks he doesn't need any other fire escape.

### Executors Notice.

Having qualified as executor of the estate of J. H. Thompson, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them duly authenticated, within 11 months from the date hereof or this notice will be filed in bar of their recovery, and all persons due the said estate are hereby requested to make immediate settlement. This October 1st, 1914.

J. E. FARRING, Executor.

### "Free Distribution."

"By direction of the General Assembly of 1913, 500,000 copies of the Constitution with the Proposed Amendments have been printed for distribution to the people."

"Every voter in the State should be familiar with the provisions of these amendments."

"Copies may be had upon application to any Register of Deeds or a copy will be mailed to any address, upon request, by J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State, Raleigh, N. C."

Do not expend too much energy trying to make other people good. Try merely to be good yourself. Practice is as good as good as precept.—We Ting Fang.

### Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

Mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney and Co., Toledo, Ohio contains no mercury and is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made by F. J. Cheney and Co. in Toledo, O. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists. Price 75 cts per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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I will in the future devote my entire time to fitting glasses and optical work, which I have made a specialty for the past 15 years. I have just purchased a fine set of optical instruments that I carry with me every trip and I will be prepared to examine eyes and fit glasses whether advertised or not.

### SPECIAL NOTICE.

A good farm of one hundred and sixty-five (165) acres for sale at a bargain. Good for farming and stock raising. One mile from Banners Elk, N. C. and on the turnpike road from Valle Crucis to Elk Park. Only seven miles from Railway station at Elk Park, N. C. A new 8 room dwelling, and plenty of out houses, a good spring near dwelling and same concreted. Plenty of other running water on place. If sale can be made this fall, same will be sold at a bargain, so do not delay seeing me at once. For further information call on, or write,

R. L. HODGES, Banners Elk, N. C.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that an application will be presented to the Governor of North Carolina, asking for the pardon of Conley Snider and W. E. Snider, who are now serving a term of imprisonment in the State prison, having been convicted of manslaughter at the Spring term of Watauga Superior Court 1914. This the 4th day of August 1914.

### Judicial Sale of land

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Watauga county rendered at Spring term 1914 of the said court in that certain case therein pending entitled D. H. Henkel and others against J. & M. Shull and Eber Gragg the undersigned as commissioner appointed by the court will sell at public auction for cash, the following described land for partition among the heirs at law of W. C. Jones, deceased. Beginning on a white oak Ell Billings corner, and runs north 21 poles to a stake in the line of the Monday 100 acre tract; thence east with the line of said tract 3 poles to a stake, corner of said tract; thence north with the line of said Monday tract 800 poles to a chestnut, the north east corner of said tract; thence east 7 1/2 poles to a stake in the line of the Danner Mark tract; thence south 10' east with said line 88 poles to a white oak, corner of said Danner Mark tract, thence east with the line of said tract 56 poles to a double chestnut stump in Gidson Walls line thence south with said line 50 poles to a poplar, said Walls corner, thence East with said Walls line 43 poles to a chestnut, Walls corner; thence south with the same 12 poles to a stake in the line of the Monday Jones tract. Thence south with the line of said tract 15 poles to a stake in the line of the Moss Hately 541' tract; thence west with said line 55 poles to a stake, corner of said tract; thence south 40 poles to a stake in the line of James Billings tract. Thence west with the line of said tract 5 poles to a chestnut, corner of said tract; thence south with the line of said tract 10 poles to a white oak corner of said tract; thence west with the same 46 poles to a stake Ell Billings corner. Thence S 77° W with said Billings line to the beginning. Containing 88 acres more or less. Sale at the court house door in Boone, N. C. on Monday the 2nd day of November 1914.

J. E. FISHER, Com.

### Mortgage Sale of Land.

North Carolina, Watauga county. By virtue of a certain mortgage deed executed to the undersigned by J. A. Eller, et al., under date of August 17, 1913, with bond in the sum of \$177.00, due and payable September 17, 1914, with interest and losses annexed therewith; no part of either the principal, interest, or losses having been paid, I, U. G. Foster, will offer for sale a certain tract of land, as conveyed by a mortgage deed registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Watauga county, Record of mortgages, Book 8, page 289, to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Boone, Watauga county, at 12 o'clock, P. M., on October 20, 1914, the said lands being described as follows: Adjoining the lands of R. L. Wagner, Mrs. Channie A. Payne and others; beginning on a white oak on the north bank of Flower's branch, Channie A. Payne's corner; running N. 30 poles to a chestnut in R. L. Wagner's line; thence up a ridge a north course with the conditional line and fence 110 poles more or less, to a chestnut; thence W 66 poles to a chestnut oak; thence S 48 poles to a black gum; thence west 4 poles to a black gum; thence nearly a south course 4 poles more or less to a rock on south bank of public road, A. A. Eller's corner; thence down said road with A. A. Eller's line 40 poles more or less to a stake in Flower's branch, thence down the meanders of said branch with A. A. Eller's line 140 poles more or less to the beginning, containing 100 more or less. The mortgagors above named, having conveyed their one-fifth interest each in and to above described lands; there being four-fifths of said lands as therein conveyed. This Sept. 19th, 1914.

U. G. FOSTER, Mortgagee.

H. C. CAVINESS, Atty's.

### BLOCKADED.

Every Household in Boone Should Know How to Resist It.

If your back aches when the kidneys are blocked, You should help the kidneys with their work.

Doan's Kidney Pills are especially for weak kidneys. Recommended by thousands—here's testimony from this vicinity.

M. M. Childress, Lenoir, N. C. says: "I suffered a great deal from kidney trouble for a number of years. The kidney action was irregular and the kidney secretions contained sediment. I could hardly straighten after I stood and my back pained me nearly all the time. Finally I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they stopped the pains and made my kidneys normal. I am glad to confirm the public statement I then gave, recommending Doan's Kidney Pills."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Childress had. Foster Milburn Co. Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

### Auction Sale.

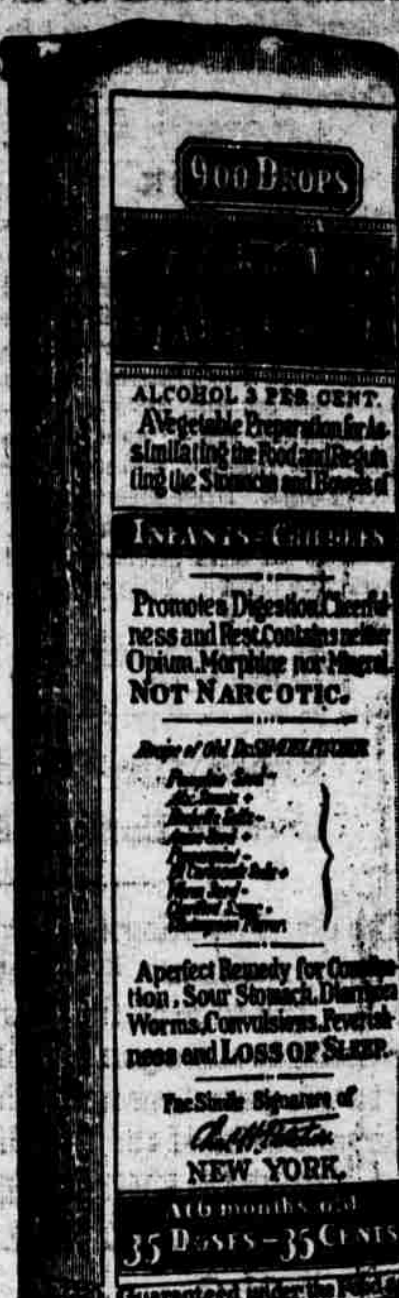
We will offer for sale at our place at Foscoe on Oct. 20, 1914, the following named personal property, to wit: 17 stacks of hay, 7 stacks of corn fodder, 250 bushels of corn, 150 bushels of buckwheat, 1 brood sow, one 6-year-old saddle mare, 1 ladies saddle; all our farm implements, mowing machine and hay rake, 1 buggy and harness, and all our household and kitchen furniture. The sale will begin promptly at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Terms of sale: All amounts under \$10.00, cash on day of sale, all over \$10.00 on six months time on good bankable notes. J. H. PROFFITT, JOSEPH PHIPPS.

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Two hundred and twenty-five acres. 175 acres in cultivation. A fine grass and grain farm, producing 40 to 50 bushels of corn per acre. Balance timber. Good spring in every field. Loveliest home in East Tennessee. Two story eight rooms, with fireplace in each room. Within 90 feet of the kitchen door six streams of pure free-stone water burst out forming a stream that runs a churning machine and forms a fish pond stocked with California trout. One good store house. Fine location for goods business. Large barn 45 x 85 ft with hay fork, and all other necessary out houses. The most suitable location for summer resort and a dairy farm in the upper end of the state. Within one mile from the beautiful Watauga River, and two miles from the town of Butler, on the V. & S. W. Ry., where a city high school and a college are in a flourishing condition. With two good churches and a district school, within 1-2 mile from this farm. Reason for selling, my health is feeble, my wife is dead and children are all gone. This farm is worth \$20,000 but the price is only \$11,000. \$3,000 cash, balance on good terms.

H. Lineback, Butler, Tenn.



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## CARDUI

### The Woman's Tonic

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of medicine from our brand new stock of drugs, just opened in Blowing Rock cannot fail to give complete satisfaction, as it is all absolutely fresh from the crucibles of the manufacturing chemists. People cannot get sick in Blowing Rock but some are sick when they arrive and need our remedies

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all maladies are, however, better than first catching and then curing them. Keep well therefore, by patronizing our new, up to date soda fountain; at which all the most fetching and delicious beverages are dispensed.

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A box of our delicious candy will bring both health and happiness to your self or anyone else, and is warranted to deserve "a bushel and a peck (of love) and a hug around the neck" from your best girl provided she is not too large. A box of writing paper

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for they bring health which abides. All cheap, for cash, and no questions asked at Morphew's New Blowing Rock Drug Store.

### Lumber for Sale!

We now have our steam saw mill located about one mile above Winkler's mill, and can fill bills on short notice. Lumber delivered if wanted.

W. L. HAYNES & BRO.

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### FARM FOR SALE

I am offering for sale my farm of 80 acres lying on Meat Camp; and there is no more desirable location to be found. Good 7 room painted dwelling, two splendid barns, other out-houses, good orchards etc. The farm is well watered, well fenced and has some 18 acres virgin forest, and contains a fine vein of asbestos. For full particulars call on or write W. W. BLACKBURN, SANDS R. F. D.

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**WESTBOUND.**

No. 1, Daily except Sunday, Leave North Wilkesboro 6:45 a. m. arrive at Grandin 8:45 a. m.

No. 3, Saturday's only, leaves North Wilkesboro 3:45 p. m. and arrives at Grandin 4:00 p. m.

No. 7, Sunday's only, Leaves North Wilkesboro 1:25 p. m. and arrives at Grandin 3:40 p. m.

**EASTBOUND.**

No. 2, Daily except Saturday and Sunday's Leaves Grandin 3:45 p. m. and arrives at North Wilkesboro 4:15 p. m.

No. 4, Saturday's only, Leave Grandin 9:00 a. m. and arrives at North Wilkesboro 10:30 a. m.

No. 6, Saturday and Sunday only, Leaves Grandin 4:45 p. m. and arrives North Wilkesboro 6:15 p. m.

H. C. LANDON, General Manager

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Are you tired? Can't you get on? Is everything you do so tiresome? Is it not because you are tired? Your system needs a tonic. Your stomach, kidneys and liver need stirring up. Nothing will do this better than

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